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ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD

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ROLL CALL HEARING

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IN THE MATTER OF:

Yi Kheng Ung Liquors, LLC
t/a Rose's Liquor
830 Bladensburg Road, NE
Retailer A - ANC-5D
License No. ABRA-060822
Case #15-PRO-00053

(License Renewal)

June 15, 2015

The Alcoholic Beverage Control Board
met in the Alcoholic Beverage Control Hearing
Room, Reeves Building, 2000 14th Street, N.W.,
Suite 400S, Washington, D.C. 20009, Ms. LaVerne
Fletcher, Agent, presiding.

1 P-R-O-C-E-E-D-I-N-G-S

2 10:15 a.m.

3 AGENT FLETCHER: Would the parties in
4 the matter of Rose's Liquor, please, come
5 forward? This is Case No. 15-PRO-00053, Yi Kheng
6 Ung Liquors, LLC t/a Rose's Liquor, 830
7 Bladensburg Road, N.E., License No. ABRA-060822.
8 This is a Retailer Class A License Renewal.

9 The protest issues are adverse impact
10 on peace, order and quiet; real property values
11 and residential parking and vehicular and
12 pedestrian safety.

13 My name is LaVerne Fletcher. I'm
14 conducting the Roll Call Hearing as the Board's
15 Agent pursuant to D.C. Official Code 1601.2.

16 Introductions beginning with the
17 applicant, Rose's Liquor. Are you here with
18 Rose's Liquor?

19 MR. UNG: Yes, ma'am.

20 AGENT FLETCHER: And your name?

21 MR. UNG: Yi Kheng Ung.

22 AGENT FLETCHER: I'm sorry, what was

1 that?

2 MR. UNG: Yi Kheng Ung.

3 AGENT FLETCHER: Did you say Lee?

4 MR. UNG: Yi.

5 AGENT FLETCHER: L-E-E?

6 MR. UNG: Different, Y-I.

7 AGENT FLETCHER: One more time? Could
8 you spell it for the record? Can you speak into
9 the microphone?

10 MR. UNG: Okay. Yes.

11 AGENT FLETCHER: So the court reporter
12 can hear you.

13 MR. UNG: Y-I.

14 AGENT FLETCHER: Yes.

15 MR. UNG: U-N-G, that's the last name.

16 AGENT FLETCHER: U-N-T?

17 MR. UNG: U-N-G.

18 AGENT FLETCHER: U-N-G. Thank you
19 very much. And, Mr. Ung, are you the applicant?

20 MR. UNG: (No audible response.)

21 AGENT FLETCHER: Are you the owner?

22 MR. UNG: Yes, yes.

1 AGENT FLETCHER: Okay. Thank you.

2 And your name, sir?

3 MR. LEWIS: Ricky Lewis.

4 AGENT FLETCHER: And Mr. Lewis, would
5 you spell your name for the record?

6 MR. LEWIS: L-E-W-I-S.

7 AGENT FLETCHER: You may be seated.
8 Present on behalf of the group of 11? There is a
9 group of 11 individuals.

10 MS. BUGGS: Yes, but this is all that
11 could be present.

12 AGENT FLETCHER: Yes. And what's your
13 name?

14 MS. BUGGS: Yvonne Buggs.

15 AGENT FLETCHER: B-U-Z-Z?

16 MS. BUGGS: Buggs, like Buggs Bunny
17 with two Gs.

18 AGENT FLETCHER: Thank you. And so,
19 Ms. Buggs, you are the designated representative
20 for the group of 11.

21 MS. BUGGS: Yes.

22 AGENT FLETCHER: According to the

1 record. And so are you also a protestant?

2 MS. BUGGS: Yes.

3 AGENT FLETCHER: Okay. So if the
4 other three people present would state your name
5 and spell it for the record.

6 MS. BAYS: Danielle Bays, B-A-Y-S.

7 MR. MILTON: Edward Milton.

8 AGENT FLETCHER: Wait, wait, excuse
9 me. What was your first name again?

10 MS. BAYS: Danielle, D-A-N-I-E-L-L-E.

11 AGENT FLETCHER: And what's the last
12 name?

13 MS. BAYS: Bays, B, as in boy, A-Y-S.

14 AGENT FLETCHER: Thank you.

15 MR. MILTON: Edward Milton, M-I-L-T-O-
16 N.

17 AGENT FLETCHER: Thank you.

18 MS. RAMSEY: Karen Ramsey, R-A-M-S-E-
19 Y.

20 AGENT FLETCHER: You said you each
21 signed the protest letter?

22 MS. RAMSEY: Yes.

1 AGENT FLETCHER: So there are four
2 members from your group present today, Ms. Buggs?

3 MS. BUGGS: Yes.

4 AGENT FLETCHER: Which means that at
5 the Status Hearing, one more person who is not
6 present today needs to show up. So your group is
7 being granted conditional standing today. If
8 that one additional person show up at the Status
9 Hearing, the Board will grant full standing. If
10 that one person does not, the Board will dismiss
11 the protest.

12 MS. BUGGS: Okay. I'm sorry that one
13 more person is here.

14 AGENT FLETCHER: Is that the one more
15 person?

16 MS. BUGGS: Yes.

17 AGENT FLETCHER: Okay. So if you
18 would ask her to come forward and --

19 MS. BUGGS: Come forward and state
20 your name.

21 MS. LYONS: Okay.

22 AGENT FLETCHER: And state your name

1 and spell it for the record.

2 MS. LYONS: Okay. My name is Marqui
3 Lyons. The spelling is first name is M-A-R-Q-U-I
4 last name Lyons, L-Y-O-N-S.

5 AGENT FLETCHER: And, Ms. Lyons, you
6 signed the protest letter also?

7 MS. LYONS: Yes, I did.

8 AGENT FLETCHER: Okay. Thank you. So
9 then you have a group of five today, so the group
10 is granted full standing.

11 MS. BUGGS: Do we need them?

12 AGENT FLETCHER: Only you, only the
13 designated representative. So you are on there
14 already for the other case, that's good.

15 MS. BUGGS: Is that good enough?

16 AGENT FLETCHER: Yes.

17 MS. BUGGS: Okay.

18 AGENT FLETCHER: So there is only one
19 protestant in this matter, that's the group of 11
20 granted standing.

21 We need to set a date for mediation.
22 The next available day for mediation is July the

1 6th at 1:00 in the afternoon or Thursday, July 9
2 at 11:00.

3 MS. BUGGS: Can we do Thursday, July
4 9 at 11:00?

5 AGENT FLETCHER: Does that work for
6 you, Mr. Ung?

7 MR. UNG: That's fine. Thank you.

8 AGENT FLETCHER: So that's 11:00?

9 MS. BUGGS: Yes, ma'am.

10 AGENT FLETCHER: So mediation is set
11 for Thursday, July 9 at 11:00.

12 Mr. Ung, do you need an interpreter?
13 I'm only asking you because I noticed that Mr.
14 Lewis is assisting you. Will you need an
15 interpreter for future proceedings or no?

16 MR. UNG: No.

17 MR. LEWIS: He wouldn't need one.

18 AGENT FLETCHER: Okay. So, Mr. Lewis,
19 you're going to --

20 MR. LEWIS: Yes.

21 AGENT FLETCHER: -- accompany Mr. Ung
22 for all the future proceedings?

1 MR. LEWIS: Yes, ma'am, I will.

2 AGENT FLETCHER: Okay. Thank you.

3 And so, Mr. Ung, did you put your contact
4 information on that sheet?

5 MR. UNG: Yes.

6 AGENT FLETCHER: And if you would do
7 the same thing, Mr. Lewis?

8 Okay. Any questions at all?

9 MS. RAMSEY: Yes.

10 AGENT FLETCHER: And if you could
11 state your name, please?

12 MS. RAMSEY: My name is Karen Ramsey.

13 AGENT FLETCHER: Yes.

14 MS. RAMSEY: My understanding was that
15 ANC-5D also voted to submit a protest letter.
16 They voted on it at one of the meetings.

17 AGENT FLETCHER: ANC, which one?

18 MS. RAMSEY: 5D.

19 AGENT FLETCHER: Let me make sure I
20 didn't overlook something. I don't see a protest
21 filed by ANC-5B.

22 MS. BUGGS: 5D.

1 AGENT FLETCHER: I don't see a protest
2 filed by any ANC.

3 MS. RAMSEY: Okay. Thank you.

4 AGENT FLETCHER: Ms. Buggs, did you
5 want to provide some information?

6 MS. BUGGS: Yes. Hold on a second,
7 please.

8 AGENT FLETCHER: Yes, this is not a
9 protest filed by ANC-5D though. This is a
10 protest filed by -- this is the protest that we
11 received, isn't it? Yes, by the undersigned.
12 That's not the ANC.

13 MS. BUGGS: Okay. Hold on.

14 AGENT FLETCHER: Oh, you know, we were
15 just talking to the record. I'm sorry.

16 MS. BUGGS: Okay.

17 AGENT FLETCHER: And you can tell me,
18 you can bring me the document. Yes, so the
19 protest that you just gave me, Ms. Buggs, is the
20 one that I have. That's where the individuals
21 signed the protest, but that wasn't signed by the
22 ANC. That was signed by a group of individuals.

1 MS. BUGGS: Okay. I was under the
2 understanding that the chair was going to send
3 out a letter. I only have a copy of the protest
4 letter and it's actually not signed, so if I sign
5 this now?

6 AGENT FLETCHER: You're too late.

7 MS. BUGGS: No?

8 AGENT FLETCHER: Yes, it had to be
9 signed and submitted by the petition deadline.

10 MS. BUGGS: Okay.

11 AGENT FLETCHER: So the only
12 protestant in the matter of Rose's Liquor is the
13 group of 11.

14 MS. BUGGS: Okay.

15 MS. RAMSEY: And it is the designee
16 that needs to participate in the mediation,
17 correct?

18 AGENT FLETCHER: Yes, that's -- yes,
19 you don't all need to attend the mediation, but
20 you can decide. Normally, it's just the
21 designated representative, but it's up to you.

22 One second, Ms. Buggs, I'm just still

1 checking to make sure. There is an email here
2 from someone, I don't know who it is, but it's --
3 who is Tammy Enright?

4 MS. BUGGS: I'm sorry?

5 AGENT FLETCHER: Tammy Enright? Do
6 you know who that is?

7 MS. BUGGS: No.

8 AGENT FLETCHER: Okay. So it's not --
9 oh, and Enright is spelled E-N-R-I-G-H-T. Okay.
10 So there is no protest filed by the ANC.

11 Any questions at all?

12 MS. BUGGS: No.

13 AGENT FLETCHER: So you got the date
14 for the mediation?

15 MS. BUGGS: July 9th, right? July 9th
16 at 11:00?

17 AGENT FLETCHER: July 9th at 11:00.

18 MS. BUGGS: Thank you.

19 AGENT FLETCHER: Thank you. The Roll
20 Call Hearing is concluded.

21 MR. LEWIS: Thank you.

22 MS. RAMSEY: Thank you, ma'am.

1 (Whereupon, the Roll Call Hearing in
2 the above-entitled matter was concluded at 10:25
3 a.m.)

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